

SOCIETY

Pleasures of the Week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Erskine entertained at an elaborate reception Friday evening in their attractive home on North Ninth street. The affair was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Erskine and Mrs. Avery of Jackson, Minn., and was most enjoyable in every way. White roses and smilax formed the decorations throughout the parlors and reception hall where the guests assembled from 7:30 to 10:30. In the dining room the Misses Helen Mayland, Mollie Bridges, Ruth Beebe and Maude Reese assisted the hostess and served light refreshments from the dining table, which was very attractive with its shaded candles and flowers. In the reception hall Miss Mabel Odiorne presided at the punch bowl, while little Frank Odiorne, Louise Odiorne and Irma Speer welcomed the guests at the door. Assisting Mrs. Erskine were Mrs. Beeler, Mrs. Frank Davenport and Mrs. Speer.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. G. B. Christoph and Mrs. G. H. Burton entertained thirty of their friends at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the latter's home on Koenigsstein avenue. The rooms were decorated with smilax and greens, as were also the tables at which the guests were seated. In the game of bridge which concluded the afternoon's pleasure, Mrs. M. E. Pangle was awarded the prize for highest score.

An enjoyable entertainment was given at the Business college last night for the students and their friends. A three-act play was given by a number of the students and they played their parts well. After the entertainment refreshments were served and games were played. The room was decorated in the college colors, maroon and old gold and pennants.

Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sasse were agreeably surprised by the ladies of the St. Johannes church, who came to spend the evening with them and help them celebrate their crystal wedding. A general good time was enjoyed by the guests and before leaving they presented the host and hostess with a beautiful cut glass water set, as a token of their esteem.

Miss Victoria Mayland entertained the members of the St. Agnes Guild Tuesday afternoon. This little society of girls meet every week and sew and usually serve light refreshments, but during Lent the dainties are dispensed with and the whole afternoon devoted to needlework.

The official board of the M. E. church gave a reception to the congregation last night at the church. There was a large attendance and all present enjoyed the occasion very much. The men having the matter in charge proved themselves equal to the occasion.

Mrs. Frank Cummings and Mrs. R. S. Lackey entertained the Priscilla club Wednesday at the home of the former. Refreshments were served at the close of the pleasant afternoon. Mesdames C. M. Maxwell and L. O. Lizer were guests.

A large crowd of friends last night surprised Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Krahn, who were secretly married Thursday night in Sioux City. A pleasant evening was enjoyed.

Miss Alice Conover entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party Tuesday evening.

Personal.

Mrs. W. R. Jones returned last Saturday from a two months' sojourn in the south. On the way home Mrs. Jones was in a railroad wreck on the Missouri Pacific, in which she narrowly escaped with her life.

Mrs. Jack Koenigsstein will leave Monday for Manson, Ia., on a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Meredith Daniels.

Mrs. H. E. Warrick left Saturday to spend a few weeks in Omaha with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Shoemaker.

Coming Events.

Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Parker will entertain at dinner next Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

FAVORS FIGHTS IN CHICAGO.

Mayor Carter Harrison Says Boxing Is Clean, Manly Sport.

Chicago, March 2.—Mayor Carter Harrison authorized a statement that he is in favor of a resumption of boxing in Chicago if it can be accomplished in such a way that the public will be safeguarded from "fake fights" and other exploitation by unscrupulous promoters.

"You may say for me," the mayor replied when asked what his attitude toward boxing in Chicago would be if the legislature passed a bill authorizing it in Illinois, "that I think boxing is a clean, manly sport. The unfortunate tendency of present-day promoters to burrow the public has attached a certain odium to the pastime, which really should be directed against the men themselves."

Bullion to South America.
London, March 2.—Bullion amounting to 50,000 pounds was taken into the Bank of England today, and 100,000 pounds were withdrawn for shipment to South America.

Bootlegging Fine Drives Him Insane.
Albion, Neb., March 1.—Special to The News: A. D. White, formerly a

druggist at St. Edward, and well known in Boone county because of his numerous troubles with the courts, is now insane at a Lincoln hospital. Brooding over his punishment, which was a fine of \$3,000 for bootlegging, he became insane.

Three Are Stricken.

Atmworth, Neb., March 2.—Special to The News: Mrs. W. W. Jacobs was buried Wednesday. She suffered a paralytic stroke some six years ago from which she never recovered.

A. F. Lindquist, an old settler, died Thursday morning from a paralytic stroke.

W. H. Remy, another old settler, dating back to 1884, suffered a stroke of apoplexy Thursday evening, and is now unconscious. He is the father of Delbert and Miss Lou Remy, at one time citizens of Norfolk.

Southwest Miners Adjourn.

Kansas City, Mo., March 2.—After a short session here the conference between representatives of locals of the United Mine Workers of America in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas and of the Interstate Southwestern Coal Operators' association, was adjourned subject to call. The contract of the miners expires March 31 and the wage scale that will be in force during the next two years will be adopted at the meeting, which it is believed will be held some time during the present month.

DIES ON SPECIAL TRAIN.

William Bayard Cutting, Wealthy New Yorker, Loses Race With Death.
Chicago, March 2.—After covering 1,170 miles of the distance from El Paso, Tex., to New York, in an effort to reach home before death overtook him, William Bayard Cutting, wealthy lawyer and civic reformer, died aboard the special train last night just before reaching Rock Island, Ill. Mrs. Cutting was at the bedside.

Two doctors and a nurse had done all they could to take the patient home alive. Realizing that the millionaire was in a critical condition when he was attacked with acute indigestion at El Paso, he was put aboard the special Thursday morning and started across the country at top speed. The progress of the train was retarded somewhat while the train was passing through Kansas, owing to snow and the result and congestion of traffic. Mr. Cutting's condition became steadily worse and he was unconscious when the train reached Kansas City. Extraordinary expedients were used to keep the patient alive, but the efforts failed as the special train sped towards the Illinois line through Iowa.

Taft Delegates Chosen.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 2.—William H. Daniels of Buffalo and Representative James S. Simmons of Niagara Falls, both adherents of President Taft, were chosen as the republican primary candidates for delegates from the Fourth district to the national convention last evening.

An Ouster Denied.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 2.—The Missouri supreme court denied the writ of ouster, asked by the state against the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain and Wabash railroads and Pacific Express company and the American Refrigerator Transit company.

No Concessions on Land.

Washington, March 2.—James Whitehead, president of the Water Users' association, sent word to the farmers in the North Platte project that all efforts to get the interior department to waive its demand for the payment of \$1 per acre maintenance charge on March 15, under pain of cancellation, have been futile, and the department is prepared to go ahead with its demands for the money. Whitehead is fearful of the consequence of this ultimatum from the interior department, but urges that farmers remain calm. Whitehead called in Senator Hitchcock, and the senator will endeavor to obtain concessions from the interior department.

Nebraska Editors for Wilson.

Holdrege, Neb., March 2.—Democratic editors of the Fifth congressional district effected an organization at a meeting here last evening and adopted a resolution favoring Woodrow Wilson for the presidential nomination. "Not because he is distinctly favored over other candidates, but because we believe him to have been singled out for attacks by the special interests." No state candidates were endorsed, but the editors were by resolution urged to look carefully into the records of those seeking nomination, and it was decided to hold a later meeting shortly prior to the April primary.

Baseball Men to Meet Here.

Baseball enthusiasts from Stanton, Wayne, Madison, Winside and Pierce will hold a meeting in Norfolk sometime in March for the purpose of organizing a baseball league of northeast Nebraska towns. No date has been set for the meeting as yet, but Alfred Pont of Stanton, who is boosting the movement, declares that the date will be early this month. Pont has written ex-manager Stafford of the Norfolk team several letters, asking Norfolk to participate in the organization, but because he resigned his position sometime ago, Mr. Stafford declines to take any part in the same.

"Business needs my entire attention and it is impossible for me to act as manager again," says Mr. Stafford. "Some one should take hold of the Norfolk end of the game."

Several Norfolk fans have given Pont at Stanton some encouragement. In a letter to Secretary Hawkins of the Commercial club, Pont says:

"I have had correspondence with Wayne, Madison, Winside, Pierce,

and with the exception of the latter town, all have agreed to have a representative at a meeting at Norfolk to talk over the situation of organizing a baseball league of the four towns named with Norfolk and Stanton included. Pierce said that the proposition sounded very good to them. The idea is to have two games a week with a salary limit so that all towns can finish the season. This will leave Sunday for those teams that play Sunday baseball for games with teams not in the league."

Many of last year's players are ready to come back to Norfolk to play ball, say baseball fans. Several of them are in the city and will be seen on local diamonds as soon as the first practice games are started.

The driving park diamond can be again utilized as a ball park, according to an announcement made by the owners. Some fans are in favor of a ball park closer to the city.

Boy Scouts Must Organize.

Norfolk boy scouts are anxious to become officially connected with the National Boy Scouts of America, of which President William H. Taft is honorary president and Colin H. Livingston of Washington president. In fact, orders have been received by local Scoutmaster A. O. Hazen from headquarters in New York city to organize a local council, which is first necessary before the local scouts can be regularly installed as members of the national organization.

The Norfolk scouts have supported themselves for the past year and what printed instructions they have received have been purchased by the local boys themselves. More books are necessary and the young scouts are badly in need of regulation uniforms for which they have already made application.

Mr. Hazen is preparing a list of representative citizens to serve as members of the local council. Different creeds and sects are to be recognized and all the organizations dealing with boyhood are to be represented. Among the sources from which Mr. Hazen will endeavor to select a member of the council will be civic authorities, boys' clubs, charity association, public schools, Sunday schools, church clubs and associations, social workers, medical societies, business and professional men, police force, fire department and military organizations. Constitutions and by-laws are to be adopted by this council and forwarded to the national headquarters.

In the instructions received by Scoutmaster Hazen it is declared that the public should be made aware of the fact that the boy scout movement is not antagonistic to any civic enterprise, but rather seeks to co-operate in all good movements in the interest of the boy. The movement is non-sectarian and plans to work with every sect and creed alike. It is non-military. It seeks to promote peace, scouting and educational character building for good citizenship. It is nonpartisan. It cannot favor one interest against another and cannot countenance interference in any debatable questions, whether social or political. It seeks to make the boy a more useful and appreciative son to his parents or to those to whom he owes his home comforts.

Valentine Grand Jury Secretive.

The grand jury at Valentine is working quietly and secretly and has not yet reached the Sellers case. This is the word brought to Norfolk today by a Valentine man. He says the Sellers case will unquestionably be taken up. There are a large number of people in Valentine this week as witnesses to appear before the grand jury.

16th Birthday for Grandma.

Madison, Neb., March 1.—Special to The News: Mrs. Dennis Streit of this city celebrated her sixteenth birthday yesterday. Mrs. Streit is a grandmother and her grandchild has had eighteen birthdays.

It was Feb. 29—and a large number of Mrs. Streit's friends helped her celebrate the occasion.

March In "Like a Lion."

March came in "like a lion." It was snowing in Norfolk with a cold wind from the northeast. Before noon the ground was white with the new snow. The superstitions—or is anybody superstitious?—will tell you this means March will go out like a lamb.

Funeral of Max Randa.

Niobrara, Neb., March 2.—Special to The Daily News: Max Randa, a pioneer of Knox county, was buried here yesterday. The funeral was held at the Z. C. B. hall and a large number of friends were present to pay their last respects to the deceased. A widow, two sons and five daughters are the surviving members of his family to mourn his loss. Mr. Randa had been in poor health for several years.

Soft, Clear Water for That Plunge.

Clear, soft, warm water will be furnished the Y. M. C. A. swimming pool free by the Norfolk Electric Light and Power company. E. A. Bullock, president of the company, declares that 30,000 gallons of this water is going to waste at the light plant hourly and he will allow the Y. M. C. A. to take it and use it for the swimming pool in the new building, when that structure is completed. All that is necessary for the Y. M. C. A. executive committee to do is to make arrangements to lay a pipe and lead the water to the building. This will not cost much money, it is said.

The executive committee favors accepting Mr. Bullock's offer and they believe much money can be saved in this way.

A visit to the light plant shows that the water is clear, soft and warm—about 100 degrees—and if piped to the Y. M. C. A. building would lose only

about 2 degrees of heat, it is said. The water is carried and pumped through a private pipe from the Northfork river to the light plant. After its work through the condenser in the plant, the water is allowed to escape into the sewers at the rate of 30,000 gallons hours. It is estimated that this water could be delivered into the swimming pool with the aid of a small pump and pipes. This would be much cheaper than heating the water at the building.

Battle Creek.

Ernest Cukosky, a student of the Normal college at Wayne, was here Saturday and Sunday visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Massman.

The German Frauen-Verein met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Brechler.

L. Haase was here Sunday from Norfolk visiting his son, Fred Haase, and family.

As soon as the weather permits, there will be lots of activity in putting up new buildings. A two-story cement block building will go up on Main street on the bandstand corner for the electric light works, and a stock company was formed to put up a brick building for the postoffice on the present location.

Peter Nowurk's day train became frightened at the depot Tuesday evening and commenced to run. As he was trying to stop them he fell and one of the rear iron wheels ran over him. He was seriously hurt on his back around the spinal column, but not dangerously. He will be laid up for a while.

Holy communion services will be held Sunday at the Lutheran church. Mahlon Anderson has rented the old 400-acre Lowe farm at Dry Hollow, north of the Elkhorn river. The place is owned now by J. A. Wright and Herman Hogrefe.

Sanders Watson, who arrived here recently from Grayson county, Va., is going to stay with Frank Sobotka, who lives southwest of town.

Four persons, Mrs. John Birch, Martin Owens, George Carico and Maden Pank were baptized at the Baptist church Sunday night by the Rev. J. W. Patterson.

C. D. Johnson, retired steward of the county poor farm, has rented the 60-acre Stoffe farm, five miles east of here. Sam Kent, Jr., is owner of the place.

Jesse Reeves was here Saturday from Madison, where he is visiting his father, Cleve Reeves. When home he lives on a Kinkaid claim in Cherry county.

Lawrence Duffy, well known in this vicinity, has moved to Meadow Grove. Miss Gretchen Nicolas departed Wednesday for St. Louis, Mo., where she will be trained for a nurse at the Lutheran hospital.

The Battle Creek Mutual Insurance company has over 1,100 policies in force now amounting to \$2,230,430. For the year 1911 the amount of losses paid was \$3,593.

John Miller, who was almost between life and death on account of pneumonia last week, is slowly recovering.

Albion.

William Graves, a former real estate dealer of Albion was here from Kearney on a short visit.

Russ Williams left for Silver Creek, where he will manage the Omaha elevator business.

The Albion Alfalfa mill is closed temporarily or until a new crop is forthcoming.

L. E. Halstead went to Omaha to meet with Camp No. 129, M. W. A., who are planning an organization of Woodmen, district from M. W. A. A state organization is the plan in view.

Mrs. James Fitch arrived from Vail, Ia., to be at the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. S. Wood, who has been very sick with severe forms of rheumatism.

P. J. Malone shipped his farming effects to Kearney Tuesday where he and his family will reside.

Supt. E. S. Cowan was re-elected to the school board Tuesday evening. The board also instructed Secretary Jones to consult with an architect in reference to a visit to Albion with a view to remodel or build a new school building.

D. J. Gates, a wealthy and prominent citizen of Albion, slipped and fell while descending some stairs at South Omaha, resulting in breaking a rib. Mr. Gates is now in a hospital.

Assistant Inspector of Accredited Schools A. M. Voss has inspected the Albion school and reports the school in a crowded condition and that either a new or remodeled building should be built.

Krahn-Shaw.

Arthur H. Krahn and Miss Etha Shaw were secretly married in the West hotel at Sioux City at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. Rev. Mr. Hamilton, a Presbyterian minister of Sioux City, was called into the hotel and performed the ceremony. The young couple returned to Norfolk at noon Friday. Miss Shaw is a popular Winside girl and Mr. Krahn is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Krahn of this city. He is associated with his father in the tailoring business. The young couple will make Norfolk their future home.

Forbes-Young.

Bonesteel, S. D., March 2.—In the presence of forty guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will D. Forbes, at Bonesteel, George Young of Salem, O., and Miss Marie Forbes were united in marriage Saturday, Feb. 24, at 4:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Jeffries officiating, using the ring ceremony. Preceding the ceremony Miss Mildred Forbes sang "Beloved, It is Morn." The bridal party marched to the altar to the strains of Lohengrin's

bridal chorus, played by Miss Leone Jewell. The best man was Joe Houston of Omaha. The maid of honor was Miss Hazel Forbes. The bride wore a simple gown of ivory satin trimmed with duchesse and rose point lace and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and violets.

Perns, gulfax and candles were arranged to form a chancel. The house was lighted by candles and was decorated throughout with smilax and white hydrangeas and carnations. The Amplex class of the Baptist church assisted in serving a three-course luncheon.

Many beautiful and useful gifts of silver, cut glass, brass, china and furniture as well as checks were received.

The marriage is the culmination of a romance which began in Oberlin college. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Young took the evening train for Winner where they will live on their homesteads.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Harms, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jewell, Miss Leone Jewell, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lintcum, Misses Lola and Florence Lintcum, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Alexander, Miss Thresa Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tienken, Misses Martha and Bertha Kappelman, Miss Amy Gilbranson.

The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Gow of Carlock.

New Counterfeit \$5 Bill.

Washington, March 2.—The secret service announced the discovery of a new counterfeit \$5 silver certificate. It is an imitation of the certificate containing the Indian head, series of 1898, check letter D, signed by Register Napier and Treasurer McClung. The secret service describes the specimens as a crudely executed etching with silk fiber of the genuine imitated by red and blue ink lines.

Oakdale.

W. H. Graves of Ewing was in town Thursday and Friday of last week putting some cattle in his feed yards here, which he shipped in from Ewing.

The basket supper held by the Boosters club was a big success financially and socially. Baskets sold all the way from \$1 to \$4. G. W. Thierberg acted as auctioneer.

J. W. Johnson returned to Mt. Vernon, S. D., last Sunday after spending the latter part of last week in town visiting friends and looking after business interests.

Mrs. H. H. Hawk, who is reported critically ill at her home, is slowly failing at this time.

George Goidin, real estate dealer of Neligh, was a business visitor in town Monday morning.

The revivals at the Methodist church ended Monday evening and Rev. Mr. Snyder reports that he feels much good has been accomplished. Four young people united with the church Sunday evening.

George R. Hoveland and son of Ed-dyville, Neb., were guests at the home of C. V. Anderson the first part of this week.

W. W. Cole, postmaster at Neligh, was in town between trains Monday.

W. T. Fletcher sold his barber shop here the first part of the week to J. Lewis of Tilden, who will take charge in about a week.

B. E. Borer of Council Bluffs, Ia., was visiting his mother, Mrs. L. M. Roy, from Monday to Thursday of this week.

The funeral of Mrs. George Keeling was held in the United Brethren church at this place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was held in Oakdale cemetery.

Miss Stella Mills of Loreto has moved to town this week and will open dressmaking parlors.

J. R. Baskett moved into the Frank building on Main street and will open a restaurant on the first floor in a few days, using the second floor for living rooms.

The band concert and literary program Tuesday evening brought out a full house at the Methodist church, and was pronounced by all to be the best event of the kind for the season, and everyone was agreeably surprised by the improvement made in the Oakdale band. The receipts were about \$100.

J. M. Hutchinson of Lincoln was a business visitor in town Wednesday forenoon.

The Oakdale high school will hold a declamatory contest here during the coming month, to select a delegate to represent the high school at the district contest to be held later in the school year. There are about twelve contestants.

H. A. Worley sold his barber shop here Tuesday to A. G. Fluckey of Inman, who has taken possession.

D. M. Davis, a ranchman of Holt county, was transacting business in town Wednesday afternoon.

N. S. Westrope of Norfolk was transacting business in town Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

D. C. Lingenfelter, Jr., and wife of Plainville were business visitors in town Thursday afternoon of this week.

Rev. H. G. Langley, formerly of this place, assisted the band Tuesday evening, playing a clarinet.

Rube Jackson was a business visitor in Clearwater Tuesday.

South Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gross were here last evening between trains while on their way home to Montana from Texas and other southern states, where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Satterlee and infant son returned to their home in Chadron last evening after a few weeks' visit at the home of S. G. Satterlee and family.

Miss Rita Davis of Anoka was here yesterday on business.

Ernest R. Schrider returned home from Lima, O., yesterday where he spent the winter. He intends to re-

turn to Lima in a few days, to make his home.

John A. Mullen of Missouri Valley was here yesterday on business. He just returned home from Pennsylvania a few days ago, where he had been to attend the funeral of his sister.

Miss Fern Millman and brother, Lealand, returned to their home in Clearwater last evening after a brief visit with relatives here.

Mrs. T. G. Wood is moving from the Welsh property on the corner of Fourth and Hastings avenue to the Schelly place on Cleveland street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wood have moved from the corner of Fourth street and Hastings avenue to the Crotty property on Cleveland street.

Miss Helen Morely of Winside was here yesterday on her way home from Chicago, where she attends an art school.

Mrs. Welsh and children came in from Kansas last evening. Mr. Welsh will follow in a few days with the household goods. They will occupy the house which he recently purchased of Fred Cornell and which is being vacated by the T. G. Wood family.

Wilson Is in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., March 2.—With a single brief speech and a reception to Iowa democrats, Gov. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey today concluded his first visit to Des Moines, departing for Davenport at noon. At 10 o'clock the governor addressed the faculty and students of Highland Park college. He was up early this morning, holding conferences with National Committeemen Martin J. Wade and other democratic leaders. To the Associated Press the governor declared himself much pleased with his reception in Iowa.

HERE'S SOME SCHOOLHOUSE.

District No. 4 Claims the Best Equipped School in Vicinity.
Rural school district No. 4 in this county claims to have the best equipped country schoolhouse in northeast Nebraska.

The building is 30x22, with twelve-foot ceiling, cement foundation and cement basement. The building is heated with a round oak furnace, the woodwork is hard pine, finished in hard oil. The walls are hard finish in white; the blackboards are the hyplate; all desks and seats are adjustable; there are three good chairs for the teacher and a commodious desk. They also have a bookcase, an organ, clock, flag, a 26-inch bell, dinner pail and overshoe table in the six-foot entry.

The grounds are a full acre and will have some shade trees planted in the spring. This model school is presided over by Miss Grace Hamlin, B. L. Dunes is director and C. P. Hamlin, moderator; Jeffery Westervelt, treasurer.

PROMOTES WOMAN DETECTIVE.

Mrs. Goodwin, Who Caught Taxicab Robbers, Gets Better Job.
New York, March 1.—Mrs. Isabella Goodwin, the police matron to whose credit is placed the capture of the taxicab robbers who recently held up two bank messengers and secured \$25,000, was advanced today to the rank of first grade detective at a salary of \$2,250, by Police Commissioner Waldo in recognition of her services.

HUNTER IS COMING.

To Take Part in Program for Corn Growing Club Benefit.
Fred M. Hunter, principal of the state school of agriculture at Lincoln and formerly superintendent of the Norfolk public schools, will be in Norfolk on March 8 to take part in the program for the benefit of the Norfolk boys and girls corn and tomato growing club. Tickets for this lecture were put on sale yesterday. The purpose of this lecture is to furnish funds for the club without making the regular collections among business men, which Mr. Carlson declares can be avoided through the lecture proposition.

"The fact that the real purpose of this lecture is to get money here for a corn and tomato growing contest, should be sufficient to bring a large audience," says Mr. Carlson. "It has been the rule to collect money in only one part of the city. In this way money can be obtained from a more scattered source."

"If any one comes to this lecture who does not get a dollar's worth I will refund the money; or I will give a talk that is worth \$2."

NO LEAP YEAR BABIES.

Physicians and Birth Registrar Report No Births Here Feb. 29.
There were no leap year babies born Feb. 29 in Norfolk. A call at the office of each physician and an interview with the local birth registrar showed that Norfolk cannot boast of a leap year baby this year. The baby boy which arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig Koenigsstein at 4 o'clock Friday morning is a first cousin to the leap year family.

FRIDAY FACTS.

H. F. Barnhart went to Pierce, S. J. Nies of Neligh was in the city.

C. H. Kelsey went to New York on business.

E. H. "